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MONTENEGRO IS BEING CRUSHED

Teutonic Onslaughts Being Vigorously Prosecuted.

MOUNT LOVCEN HAS FALLEN

General Aylmer's Column of British Troops Marching to the Relief of Kut-el-Amara Has Met and Repulsed Strong Turkish Force.

London, Jan. 12.—Montenegro is being treated to a steam roller attack similar to that which crumpled up its friend and neighbor, Serbia. The Austrian onslaught, which has been a long time in preparation, is now being prosecuted with great violence, menacing several important positions close to the Adriatic coast.

The great Montenegrin stronghold, Mount Lovcen, has fallen, according to an Austrian official communication. The attack here has been largely assisted by Austrian warships and the guns of the Cattaro forts. In addition, the Montenegrins say the Austrians made abundant use of asphyxiating gas contrivances.

A battle is raging on the whole of the northern and eastern frontiers of Montenegro. On the east the Montenegrins have been compelled to evacuate Berane.

For the British public the latest statements regarding the situation in Mesopotamia will not entirely relieve the anxiety. The British General Aylmer's column, which is advancing to the relief of Kut el Amara, has met and repulsed a strong Turkish force, but its present position is by no means satisfactory, for it finds in front of it a Turkish army greatly superior in numbers.

There has been no fresh developments on the Russian front, where the cold weather again has set in, the thermometer at some points touching 20 degrees below zero.

OPPOSITION IS DWINDLING

British Commons Certain to Pass Constitution Bill.

London, Jan. 12.—Opposition to the government's constitution bill dwindled to a meager handful in parliament and predictions in the lobby of the house of commons were that the vote on the second reading will find little more than twenty or thirty in opposition, as contrasted with 105 on the first reading.

The Irish Nationalists announced abandonment of their opposition, in view of the fact that the bill does not apply to Ireland. John Redmond, the veteran home rule leader, who made this announcement, shared the most prominent position in the debate with his old enemy, Sir Edward Carson, who, in a fiery speech, pleaded that Ireland ought to be included in the bill.

According to present arrangements the bill will reach the house of lords within ten days.

TURKS WERE BEATEN OFF

General Monro Reports Fighting Before Evacuation.

London, Jan. 12.—An additional report from Lieutenant General Sir Charles C. Monro concerning the evacuation of the southern tip of the Gallipoli peninsula and the fighting that preceded it was made public. It says:

"The Turks attempted a heavy attack on our lines Jan. 7, between 1:30 and 3 p. m. Our trenches were continually shelled and from 3 to 4 p. m. the bombardment became intense. The Turks also opened a heavy musketry fire.

"The Staffords shires completely repulsed an attack and a large portion of the Turks who attacked were killed or wounded. Our casualties were five officers and 130 men killed or wounded."

BRITAIN GETS MAIL PROTEST

American Note Has Been Delivered at London.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Ambassador Page at London advised the state department that he had delivered to the British foreign office the American note regarding the detention and censoring by the British authorities of mail from the United States to European neutral countries.

The text of the communication probably will not be given out until arrangements have been made for its publication simultaneously in this country and Great Britain.

Terrible Fate.

Funny answers by school children are an old story, but the fact, vouched for by one of these same children that "Louis XVI. was guillotined during the French revolution" is new enough to suit the most fastidious.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

Governor General of Canada Has the Grip.



CONNAUGHT ILL FROM GRIP

Governor General of Canada Expected to Open Parliament Thursday.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 12.—The Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada, is suffering from grip. He had been indisposed for several days, but the attack, it was said, is not severe. It is expected he will be able to open parliament Thursday.

TO SEAL WIRELESS ON SHIPS IN PORT

New York, Jan. 12.—Means of enforcing additional regulations laid down by Secretary of the Navy Daniels to protect the neutrality of the United States from violation by means of the wireless installation on ships flying the flags of belligerent nations were considered at a conference here. All merchant vessels of countries now at war, upon entering ports of the United States, must lower the antennae of their radio apparatus to the deck and disconnect them from the radio station of the ship.

This apparatus will be sealed by a government official and will remain sealed while the vessel is within the limits of the port.

Permission to hoist and connect the antennae and to break the seals must be obtained from the collector of the port.

This rule will apply to nearly 200 foreign vessels now in port.

CHARGES WILL BE PROBED

Gerard to Investigate Complaints Against Consul Higgins.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Ambassador Gerard at Berlin has been authorized by Secretary Lansing to investigate official charges against American Consul Edward Higgins at Stuttgart, alleging that he is pro-British and objectionable to the German government.

Should the charges be proved it is said Mr. Higgins will be informed that this government will not permit neutral activities on his part. No official charge or complaint has been made against him.

HUERTA RALLIES SLIGHTLY

Little Hope Held Out for Recovery of Former Mexican Leader.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 12.—The condition of General Victoriano Huerta was reported by his physicians as unchanged. The patient rallied slightly. Slight hope for his recovery was expressed.

The former provisional president of Mexico has undergone numerous operations, the result of jaundice with complications.

Austrian Diver Responsible.

Berlin, Jan. 12.—A statement given out by the semi-official Overseas News agency establishes the fact that it was an Austrian submarine which sunk the Italian liner Porto Said in the Mediterranean last month, causing the death of six passengers and one member of the crew. It is asserted the steamship attempted to ram the submarine.

Fire Causes Half Million Loss.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—Fire starting in the Friedman department store here destroyed five stores in the retail district, causing a loss estimated at \$500,000.

PRICE DETAILS HOW WIFE DIED IF MURDERED ETCHISON GUILTY

Frederick Price on Trial for Murder of His Wife Tells How She Died. Takes Oath in Steady Polite Manner Answers Queries—President Wilson Opposes Compulsory Service—Duluth Schools Dismissed on Account of Cold and a Fifty Mile Gale.

Temperature Throughout the Northwest Makes New Record in many Places—Taft Not to be Appointed to Succeed Justice Lamar—Representative Dyer, of Missouri Thinks it Time to Call Halt on Watchful Waiting Policy in Mexican Affairs.

The Early Fall of Cetinje Predicted—Germans Lose 250,000 Men in the Fight Against French in Champagne District—The Bull Moose Party will Join Forces and Work in Double Harness for Election of Republican President—Huerta will Probably be Indicted Tomorrow.

EARLY FALL OF CETINJE MT. LOWEEN HAS FALLEN

(By United Press)

Rome, Jan. 12.—The early fall of Cetinje is forecasted following the confirmation of the fall of Mt. Loween, which is the Gibraltar of the Adriatic to the Austrians. Mt. Loween dominates the roads to Loween and is seven miles away. The military evacuation of Cetinje begun when the fortifications were dismantled, and everything valuable has been withdrawn. The Austrians are attempting to capture the Montenegrin army which is hampered on account of a lack of supplies and equipment.

AMMUNITION EXPLOSION KILLS MANY

(By United Press)

Berlin, Jan. 12.—It is officially stated that seventy were killed and fifty injured in the explosion of an ammunition depot at Lille yesterday.

STEAMER SUBMERGED CREW IS SAVED

(By United Press)

Leith, Scotland, Jan. 12.—The steamer Traquair has been submerged and sunk, the crew being saved.

PRINCE RECALLED TO BERLIN

(By United Press)

Rome, Jan. 12.—An unconfirmed Swiss report says the crown prince was recalled to Berlin, the probable cause being the kaiser's illness.

ELUDED SUBMARINE

Barcelona, Jan. 12.—The British steamer Tafia, 5,000 tons, eluded a German submarine after being pursued several miles and arrived here safely.

GERMANS LOSE HEAVILY

(By United Press)

Paris, Jan. 12.—The Germans lost over 250,000 men in the Sunday onslaughts against the French lines in the Champagne district. This is the bloodiest fighting on the western front since the allied offensive of last September.

President Opposes Compulsory Service

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 12.—The president opposes compulsory service. Chairman Hay told the House Committee on Military Affairs today. Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge admitted that the continental army plan with enlistment compulsory would be more satisfactory to the war department.

Progressives will Continue by Themselves

(By United Press)

Chicago, Jan. 12.—"The Progressives will continue as a separate and distinct organization despite any agreements with the Republicans this year to defeat Wilson," George Perkins told the United Press in an exclusive interview. "The double harness for this political race is not amalgamation," said Perkins.

42 BELOW ZERO AT DEVILS LAKE

Devils Lake, N. D., Jan. 12.—The thermometer registered 42.6 below zero this morning. The weather bureau records have been broken. There is no wind, and but little suffering.

Price Takes Stand in His Own Behalf

(By United Press)

Minneapolis, Jan. 12.—Frederick Price went on the stand in his own defense. He walked firmly and took the oath, his hand not shaking, and his voice steady. He answered all questions politely. He detailed how his wife died, how he befriended Etchison when in Minneapolis friendless, and invited Etchison to his home for a dinner that Mrs. Price prepared. Attorney Brady for the defense addressed the jury. He made no excuse for Price's relations with Carrie Olson, Price knows that, but if Mrs. Price was murdered and not thrown over the cliff, Etchison murdered her.

Wants Armed Intervention in Mexico

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 12.—Senator Sherman, of Illinois, has introduced into the senate a resolution demanding armed intervention in Mexico, the establishment of a representative government and the immediate evacuation of the country after these things are accomplished.

Duluth Schools Closed on Account of Cold

(By United Press)

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 12.—The schools were dismissed on account of the cold caused by a fifty mile gale. Forty below is predicted for tonight. It was eight above last night.

Floods in Indiana and Illinois

(By United Press)

Chicago, Jan. 12.—During a ten below to fifty-eight below blizzard, Vincennes, Ind., Mt. Carmel Ill. and Virginia points reported floods.

Australia Will Investigate Persia Affair

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 12.—Australia has notified the United States that a full investigation of the Persia has been started.

Carried Out on Ice Floe

(By United Press)

Oconto, Wis., Jan. 12.—While Nels Isaacson was skating, the ice broke into a floe and the wind took him into Green Bay toward Lake Michigan. He was unable to attract assistance, but the wind changed and the floe was blown ashore.

HANS SCHMIDT.

Governor Whitman Grants Him a Stay of Execution.



Photo by American Press Association.

WHITMAN HALTS EXECUTION

Grants Thirty Days' Reprieve to Hans Schmidt.

Ossining, N. Y., Jan. 12.—A thirty days reprieve for Hans Schmidt, who was to be executed at Sing Sing prison Friday for the murder of Anna Mueller in New York in 1913, was received at the prison.

The stay of execution was granted by Governor Whitman to permit an appeal to the United States supreme court by Schmidt's counsel.

STAMP BANDITS NET OUT IN CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, Jan. 12.—Bandits who stole revenue stamps valued at \$377,375.51 from government offices in St. Paul Jan. 6 are believed to be in hiding here, according to telegraphic advices from the Minnesota city.

Chief of Police Copeland, assisted by Federal Reserve Agent Drakeford, has thrown out a dragnet and is working on a clue that promises to yield results.

It is believed the robbers came to this city immediately after looting the federal building and that before they made arrangements to dispose of their booty they became alarmed and went into hiding.

\$107,000 FIRE AT MINOT

Intensely Cold Weather Seriously Hampers Firemen.

Minot, N. D., Jan. 12.—Fire of unknown origin which started in the basement of the Roell-Bakely building was placed under control after having caused an estimated loss of \$107,000, half of which is covered by insurance.

Firemen were handicapped in their battle with the flames by the intensity of the cold, which drove the mercury to 35 degrees below zero. Except for members of the department, who suffered from exposure, no one was injured.

The Roell-Bakely three-story brick building was destroyed, with a loss of \$87,000. The nearest losers are the Alexander Scarle Stationery company and the Roell Hardware company. About \$5,000 damage by smoke and water was sustained by the Waverly hotel, and the Lichten Furniture company was damaged to the extent of \$15,000.

BOOSTERS TO MEET IN JUNE

All-Minnesota Development Association Committee Fixes Date.

St. Paul, Jan. 12.—The All-Minnesota development association will meet in St. Paul June 14 and 15. The executive committee fixed the date.

Each county will have five delegates to the convention and each of the four big development associations and various smaller ones will have three delegates each.

ELECTRIC HAND TO DO WORK FOR CRIPPLES.

Berlin, Jan. 12.—After years of experimenting Director Klingenberg of the General Electric company has announced the perfection of an "electro-magnetic hand" with which it is possible to grasp even the heaviest metal objects and work with them advantageously as with human hands.

VICTIMS ROBBED AND EXECUTED

Seventeen Persons Slain by Mexican Train Bandits.

DETAILS ARE VERY MEAGER

After Stripping Passengers of Their Clothing the Outlaws Lined Them Up Along the Cars and Used a Firing Squad—All of the Dead Are Believed to Be Americans.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 12.—Seventeen persons, all believed to have been Americans, were killed by Mexican bandits after being taken from a Mexican Northwestern train fifty miles west of Chihuahua, robbed and stripped of their clothing, according to a message received here by H. C. Myles, British consul here, from British Consul Scovell at Chihuahua City.

The train on which the Americans were traveling from Chihuahua City to Cosihuiriachic, Chihuahua, carried thousands of dollars in currency and a large quantity of supplies sent by the American Smelting and Refining company to its mines in Cosihuiriachic.

Thomas M. Holmes, the only known survivor, said, however, in his brief telegram giving the first news of the raid, that he counted only sixteen Americans taken from the train.

Confirmation of news of the tragedy was made by officials here of the Carranza de facto government.

Dispatches said the bodies were en route to Juarez.

It is supposed the bandits belonged to the forces of General Jose Rodriguez, a Villa supporter, known to be operating in Chihuahua against the de facto government.

According to the brief messages received here the train bearing the Americans was stopped by the bandits at Kilometer 68, about fifty miles west of Chihuahua City.

The mining men were taken from the train, robbed, stripped naked and lined up along the cars for execution. Holmes, it is said, was on the extreme end of the line.

As the firing squad, detailed by the bandit leader, took position, it is reported Holmes broke away and fled into the desert for his life.

MEDIATOR SETTLES STRIKE

Tube Workers at Youngstown, O., Get Wages Raised.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 12.—Fred Croton of Columbus, mediator sent here to adjust the wage disputes in this district, announced that the strike of tube workers at the plant of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube company had been declared off.

The men at a mass meeting voted to accept the company's offer of an increase in wages amounting approximately to 10 per cent. The men voted to return to work.

The plant employs 9,500 men, not all of whom, however, have been on strike, although they were compelled to quit work.

BOY FINDS MOTHER DEAD

Chicago Youth Sees Father, Razor in Hand, Near Body.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—When James Walsh, eight years old, returned to his home here he found his mother dead in a pool of blood.

His father was seated beside the stove with a razor in his hand, he told the police. His mother's throat had been cut.

The boy's father drove him from the house and a short time later he also was found beside his wife with his throat cut. He is expected to recover.

ASK SISAL PRICE PROBE

Western Implement Dealers Appeal to Congress.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 12.—An investigation by congress of the "manipulations of the alleged sisal trust, which is said to have forced the price of farm twine up 2 cents a pound, with a total cost of \$5,000,000 to American farmers, was urged by H. J. Hodges of Abilene, Kan., in his report as secretary of the Western Retail Implement, Vehicle and Hardware Dealers' association.

FOUR PERISH IN FLAMES

Three Others Seriously if Not Mortally Injured.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Four persons dead, three seriously if not mortally hurt, and four less seriously injured, was the toll of a fire in a rooming house in the center of the city.

The fire started on the lower floor, where the landlady was using gasoline for cleaning.

Youngest Boys in German Army and Navy



Here are the youngest soldiers of the Kaiser, the one in the army and

the other in the navy. Each is shown with his father.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours
Colder.
January 11—maximum 1 above, minimum 24 below.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

R. A. Peterson of Duluth was in the city today.

The noon passenger from Duluth was 40 minutes late.

For Spring Water Phone 264. tf

R. M. Adams of Deerwood was in the city on legal business.

Judge T. C. Blewitt went to Little Falls this afternoon on legal business.

E. O. Webb, of the Parker & Topping Co., went to St. Paul this afternoon.

Glasses properly fitted. Dr. Long. 291tf

It was 15 below this morning and the wind blowing at International Falls and Bemidji.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Sanborn and Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Marcum of Bemidji were in the city today.

Boards watch the want ads in the Dispatch want ad columns when the "mood to move" seizes them.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Merwin and family have returned from Syracuse, N. Y., where they visited relatives.

E. Jackson, a farmer of Baxter employed at the tie plant, caught his arm in a planer and it was cut off below the elbow.

A real advertisement is always attention-compelling if it is informative. People who read real estate want ads want to know.

A. A. Carter left this morning for Brainerd where he will spend the next two days on a combined business and pleasure trip.—Bemidji Daily Pioneer.

Dr. C. A. Nelson went to St. Paul on the early morning train where he will attend the state veterinary association convention which is in session two days.

Military preparedness? Nonsense. When the present war is ended the Democratic Party and the Security National Loan Company will be the only things left to shoot at. The latter pays 7% to investors. 184-tf

The letter carriers have their troubles today. The snow is drifting so badly that it is difficult for a householder to keep snow shoveled from his walk.

Thursday night will be for beginners only at the Roll-Away Rink. 187-tf

At Nymore this morning the round-house foreman took a look at the thermometer and saw it sweep downward with a rush. Before his eyes the mercury went down with such force that it pulled out the nail in the wall to which the thermometer was attached.

Rev. A. B. Colvin, pastor of the Swedish Baptist church, left this afternoon for Hubert where he will officiate at the wedding of Ruben N. Johnson, of Long Prairie, and Miss Esther E. Dandanell, of Hubert. The

ceremony will take place at 6 o'clock in the evening.

For sale—all my household furniture. Jas. Cullen, 211 6th St. N. 187tf

Doctors of the Upper Mississippi Valley Medical association have a meeting in the city today, and this afternoon attended a clinic at the Northern Pacific Sanatorium. Tonight they will attend the performance of Forbes-Robertson at the Brainerd opera house.

No need of talking about the quality of H. W. Linnemann's boys' clothes and their moderate regular prices. Almost every mother in Brainerd is familiar with them.—Adv. 187t2

**Annual Meeting
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Tonight, Jan. 12
ELECTION OF OFFICERS
Be there at 8:00 Sharp**

Prayer meetings are being held every evening by the Swedish Baptist church. Tonight members of the congregation meet at the home of Gust Mæke, 1205 Pine street. Thursday afternoon the meeting will be held at the church. Friday evening the meeting will be held at the home of S. R. Lind, 323 Farrar street, N. E. Brainerd.

The problem of keeping warm and comfortable these cold days is solved daily at the H. W. Linnemann store. Come today and inspect the winter overcoats and suits, underwear, caps, overshoes, shoes, gloves, mittens, mackinaws, etc. H. W. Linnemann can fit you out so that you can face any turn of the thermometer. 187t2

The corridor and the lobby of the Ransford hotel was choked full of drummers and there was a bee hive of conversation which made the hotel hum like a Northern Minnesota Development Association meeting. The trains were late and many were staying over. One drummer entered the hotel with his ears frozen and was quickly thawed out by fellow travelers.

Snappy shirts for men. Handsome striped shirts, some with starched and soem with soft French cuffs. The easy, convenient and comfortable coat style. Every shirt is a big value at the price. H. W. Linnemann. 187t2

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Men's gloves and mittens, fur lined auto gauntlets, mackinaws, warm underwear, caps, fur caps, at the H. W. Linnemann store, all the material to withstand a siege of winter weather, and three months of it looms ahead. You owe it to yourself and family to dress warmly and repel grip and pneumonia. Adv. 186t2

Observe the Warning

A cold that promises to "hang on all winter" is to be dreaded. Prompt action should be taken at the first warning of a cold—sneezing, chilliness, slight shivering. Foley's Honey and Tar makes quick work of coughs, colds and croup. It clears air passages, stops coughing, eases difficult breathing. H. P. Dunn.—Adv. mwf

Head bookkeeper: A good man, with no head for figures, who has arrived at his present exalted position by a combination of luck and pull.

The stenographer: A pleasant old party with singular weaknesses and a strange capacity—rarely exercised, however—to make one cry.

His wife: A baby.—Life.

Nice Table Ornament.

When "Sir George Trevelyan was chief secretary for Ireland, in troublous times, the police made him carry a pistol about with him. One night after dinner he took it out of his pocket and put it on the table, saying to his host, "Pray forgive me, but if you know how tired I am of carrying this thing about!"—London Standard.

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Britton, H. W.	2.72
Baer, Fred	1.10
Britton, J. R.	8.80
Bourassa, Ceirl	2.68
Campbell, J. J.	24.24
Cofer, J. W.	12.28
Caughy, F. P.	6.65
Caughy, Walter	8.74
Caughy, Mrs. Marion	16.60
Cronquist, John	7.57
Cofer, E. H.	5.85
Daniels, Mrs. Hattie	7.96
Dixon, W. G.	7.61
Engelhart, J. J.	3.73
Engelhart, Clarence	2.39
Frechs, Robert	18.40
Fleischacker, Phillip	2.12
Fleischacker, Fred	1.48
Fleischacker, George	20.48
Friuth, George	14.86
Fallon, John W.	16.28
Gordon, D. J.	10.00
Gates, R. L.	2.76
Gates, B. H.	20.25
Jensen, A. M.	5.04
James, J. B.	21.42
Jenest, Albert	7.18
Kraklau, Dan	13.12
Kemp, D. N.	17.17
Kjellquist, P. J.	9.67
Klenow, Frank	9.84
Koering, Gregor	2.28
Murray, W. F.	1.60
Miller, John	.38
Miller, Mrs. Anna	8.60
Miller, Carl A.	4.64
Nelson, Eric	6.24
Olson, Charles	3.97
Olson, Solomon	3.38
Olson, Magnus	2.61
Pelley, R. L.	9.03
Racine Charles	19.64
Rathl, Wm.	9.10
Ringering, Jacob	10.93
Rouse, S. W.	5.25
Sewell, B. C.	13.05
Sherlund, Mrs. C. N.	2.06
Shannon, M. F.	9.52
Stinson, Wm. M.	8.90
Seribaer, Mrs. Adna	1.03
Tomberlin, A. J.	1.41
Vogt, John	20.27
Wolvart, Frank	31.58

GARRISON

Anderson, O. B.	9.17
Bark, J. B.	4.20
Barnard, Chas. E.	6.88
Borden, Earl	13.46
Borden, P. C.	1.95
Barber, A. H.	6.93
Benjamin, F. P.	6.97
Basset, Clark	1.74
Coffield, Jim	7.10
Chillen, B. G.	14.00
Crowell, J. J.	4.17
Crowell, J. M.	4.67
Dykeman, G. F.	2.43
Dahman, K.	26.36
Dykeman, T. G.	13.00
Daves, John L.	4.09
Dinwiddie, J. M.	6.70
Davis, F. H.	10.19
Frances, J. N.	17.84
Frances, J. G.	.97
Husby, John	3.85
Hill, M. E.	13.06
Hill, George	3.90
Harrison, J. N.	19.59
Hallstead, Mrs. Clema	3.05
Hallstead, Ella	7.99
Hallstead, W. M.	16.24
Harrison, G.	6.63
Love, Albert	9.62
Inwerds, W.	6.92
McCalvy, Nancy	1.42
McCalvy, George	2.49
Miller, J. W.	.73
Nyhart, Julius	7.65
Perrson, Henry	16.95
Person, Dan	14.03
Person, Elmer	.86
Person, Perry	.29

Person, Ernest	2.39
Rink, Andrew	6.19
Wunderlich, C. R.	13.95
Wisten, A. E.	3.61
Wunderlich, J. W.	18.09
Wunderlich, W. W.	10.92
Varner, S. A.	2.73
Treichler, Fred	4.91
Treichler, Elbert	3.59
Schmalz, Amel	.41
Schmalz, Frank	.04
Scott, Hiram	1.99
Schley, John	4.29
Sullivan, W. J.	8.73
Smith, George	10.78
Scott, Hiram	18.33

(To be Continued)

OUR UNRULY SUN.

It Seems to Be Trying to Dilate to the Bursting Point.

The French astronomer Puisseux has been busying himself with the constitution of the sun. He finds that, instead of condensing and shrinking little by little, as was formerly supposed, the sun is constantly dilating more and more and reaching the point of bursting. And if the sun blew up there would be no more need for us poor mortals to worry about worldly affairs.

Big suns every whit as important in their own constellations as ours are frequently victims of an explosion. There was one in the constellation of Perseus early in 1901, and since then two at least have occurred in other celestial groups.

Observation has shown long since that the great orb which is our all in all is a most uncertain character. Sun spots, fire blasts and such like phenomena are by no means the most of which he is capable. The manner in which the sun throws off atomic energy and transforms the heavy into light elements, hydrogen, helium, nebulium, archonium and what not spells nothing good for this world, and a mere nothing might lead to a disaster any day.

In short, it is bound to come at some time or other. Unfortunately science can give us no idea as to when. Centuries and even hundreds of centuries are as but a moment in the history of the universe, says Professor Flammarion, and for all we know the sun may have millions of years more life before it. No man can tell, though, and just as the strongest of us are struck down in a moment, so the all powerful planet may give out at any time, and when it does it will make but short work of all of us here below.—Boston Transcript.

In an Australian Sleeping Car.

The sleeping cars of Australia are in many ways better than those of the United States. Instead of being of continuous length they are broken up into compartments, each one of which contains two berths running crosswise the track, a separate lavatory and divers shelves, racks, books and cubby holes for disposing of a traveler's belongings. The privacy of the arrangement is much to my mind. The porter, who is also the conductor, takes charge of all heavy bags, satchels and packages and puts them in an apartment specially reserved for that purpose.—Bishop E. E. Hoss in Dallas News.

A Varnishing Tip.

When varnishing wood the work must be done in a warm room at a temperature of at least 75 degrees F. At a lower temperature the moisture in the air will give a milky and cloudy appearance to the varnish. On the other hand, at the higher temperature the moisture is not precipitated until the alcohol of the varnish has sufficiently evaporated to leave a thin smooth film of shellac. The durability and gloss are dependent on this.

Tell English Authors.

Inches would seem not to lack significance in literature. Of the great English writers of the Victorian era almost all were tall. Tennyson, Carlyle, Edward Fitzgerald and Matthew Arnold all reached six feet, Ruskin touched five feet ten, Froide five feet eleven, Dickens and Browning fell short of the six foot level by only a narrow space, and Thackeray turned six feet three.—London Chronicle.

MUCH BUILDING AT MANGANESE

Townsite Company Putting up House and Will Build More During Winter and Early Spring

DAIL MAIL SERVICE PUT IN

Bus Line Running Between Manganese and Crosby—Work of the Mines near Manganese

Manganese, Minn., Jan. 12.—At the Iron Mountain mine ore is being dumped in cars and being shipped. At the Ferro mine a large boiler and machine house have been built. Twenty-one men are at present employed at the mine. Both these mines are soon to be connected up. It is said, with the Cuyuna Range Power Co. and furnished electrical power. Manganese is but half a mile from these mines and will probably also be connected up soon.

Mail service for Manganese has been greatly improved since the first of the year. A twice a week service has now been superseded by a daily service. A covered bus and an auto line have been established between Crosby, Ironton and Manganese, making daily trips.

The townsite company has added one more building to their row of houses in block 13 and will build some more during winter and spring. J. F. Richter, of Cloquet, is putting up a five room cottage in block 10 and will build some more in the spring.

Iver Olson, of Duluth, who is the owner of several lots in town, will put up some houses in the spring. Markus Grande, of Barrows, expects to put up a cottage on one of his lots here next spring.

C. C. Travis, the postmaster, is planning to build an addition to his store building in the spring.

L. O. Gudgal is planning to build more cottages here next spring and summer.

A car load of lumber from the Baxter Lumber Co., of Duluth, was received last Thursday and part of it has already been converted into houses.

Mike Thomas, who is the owner of several lots in Block 9, is also planning to do some building soon.

Thomas Jordan has established a daily bus line between Manganese and Crosby and is also carrying the mail between these two places.

Mrs. Pete Peterson has returned from Stillwater and St. Paul where she has been visiting with relatives and friends.

Charles Besonson has returned from a visit with his family. He is living on a homestead near Emily.

Walter Besonson was a visitor in Town Tuesday.

Miss Cherrie Braden, the school teacher, has returned from a visit in Chisholm and the school was opened Monday.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Notary Public, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1915.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public, Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

WANTS

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than \$5.00

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Porter at Ideal Hotel. tf

WANTED—Girl at Windsor hotel. 162tf

WANTED—Girl at Herbert's Lunch Room. 181tf

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Ransford Hotel. 85-tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply 413 North 4th St. 185tf

WANTED—A good, steady, gentlemanly salesman to handle a Ward's wagon in Crow Wing county. No experience needed. For full particulars write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medicine company, Winona, Minn. Established 1856. 184t8

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Barn, cheap. 722 So. Broadway. 722-tf

FURNISHED room for rent—Steam heated, 203 4th Street North. 186t2p

FURNISHED room for rent, also for light housekeeping. 307 So. 7th street. 185-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in new, modern house, 517 North Fifth street. 185-t6

FOR RENT—Flat for rent. Inquire of Brainerd Electric Co. 710 Laurel Street. 179tf

FOR RENT—All modern house at 712 N. 7th St. Inquire A. C. Weber, 823 Main St. 178tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two couches and a table. 723 Fifth street So. 186-13p

FOR SALE—Hup roadster, electric starter and lights, \$350 cash takes it. E. R. Smith Auto Co. Jan. 12-14-15-17-19-21-22

FOR SALE—Two corner lots corner of Summit and Eighth streets S., Howe and Spaulding Addn., \$100. E. R. Smith. 4-7-11-14

FOR SALE—4 room cottage, 1401 E. Oak St. lot 50x140, small barn. \$500, balance to suit. J. H. Kreckelberg, Phone N. W. 368-L. Automobile 6162. 183tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy land, improved or unimproved in Crow Wing and Aitkin counties. Inquire of John J. McAniff, 608 Alworth building, Duluth. 189-1mo

WANTED—Housekeeping rooms or board and rooms in private family by quiet business couple (no children). Must be modern with home comforts—near to First National bank corner. Address "Business", care Dispatch. 187

LOST—Lady's purse containing gold watch, fountain pen and about \$5 in money between Brainerd and Flak, Minn. Finder please return the watch, pen and purse to the Dispatch office and keep the money for their reward. Eunice Baldorf. 185-d3p-w2

Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn.—Adv. mwf

DISPATCH ADS PAY



The man with Money can fulfill the duty he owes to his wife and family.

Are you doing the duty you owe to YOUR wife and children? Some other man's family gets the money you SPEND; your family benefits only by the money you SAVE.

The man with a wife and children owes them a great obligation, because if he does not care for his wife and educate his children NOBODY ELSE will.

One SURE WAY OF doing your duty is to regularly put your money in OUR BANK.

WOMAN'S REALM

YEOMEN INSTALLATION

Brainerd Homestead, No. 602, B. A. Y. Installed Officers, Luncheon and Dancing Followed

Brainerd Homestead, No. 602, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, held an open meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11th and installed the following officers:

Honorable Foreman—Al. Cuskey.
Master of Ceremonies—Chas. Bourassa.

Correspondent—T. E. Nitterauer.
Master of Accounts—C. Bruhn.
Chaplain—Ella Carbine.
Overseer—Floyd C. Blake.
Lady Rowena—Emma Cuskey.
Lady Rebekah—Frances Siegel.
Watchman—Fred Hagenbart.
Sentinel—Harold Cook.
Guard—Ralph Alden.

The officers were installed by Past Foreman Wm. F. J. Pfeiffer, after which lunch was served and dancing indulged in.

DIED IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. W. H. McKay, Mother of W. D., J. A. and C. D. McKay Died of Grip in Oakland

Mrs. W. H. McKay, aged over 80, died of grip in Oakland, Cal., following a short illness. She was the mother of W. D. McKay, J. A. McKay and C. D. McKay. The remains are to be brought to Brainerd by C. D. McKay and the funeral will be held in this city.

The sympathy of the community is extended the family in its distress and bereavement.

Olson-Taylor

Harry A. Taylor and Miss Nettie E. Olson were married Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of St. Francis Catholic church, Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney officiating. The bride was attired in a handsome traveling gown. She was attended by Miss Mary Taylor, sister of the bridegroom. The best man was Joseph Schwartz.

After the ceremony a seven course dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents near Quincy and Third avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have gone to the Twin Cities on a short honeymoon trip.

Mr. Taylor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Taylor and is an exemplary young man, employed as a moulder at the Parker & Topping Co. foundry. The bride is an estimable young lady with a large circle of friends. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nels W. Olson and has taught school for several years.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in wishing them unbounded happiness and prosperity.

Norwegian-Danish Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Molstad, 704 Oak street.

Swedish Mission Ladies Aid

The Ladies aid society of the Swedish Mission church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Anderson, 911 Southeast Eleventh street. There will be the annual election of officers. All are welcome to attend.

Welsh Rabbit.

Cut one or two slices of white bread about a quarter of an inch thick, toast on both sides and butter well. Take half a pound of cheddar cheese, grate it and put it into a small pan with two tablespoonfuls of cream, a teaspoonful of mustard, a dust of pepper, and stir these all together over the fire till the mixture is like cream. Cut the toast into square pieces and place them on a hot dish. Pour the cheese mixture over them and serve at once.

Club Sandwiches.

On a slice of bread put a lettuce leaf, next slices of thin crisp bacon, next slices of chicken and mayonnaise; then cover with a slice of bread and toast lightly on either side.

THEY REFUSE TO EAT

At periods in most children's lives they fail to relish their meals and refuse to eat even the delicacies prepared to tempt their appetites. They lack ambition, and growth seems impeded, which causes anxiety and worry.

To compel them to eat is a grave mistake, because nutrition is impaired. Healthful exercise in fresh air and sunshine is important, but equally important is a spoonful of Scott's Emulsion three times a day to feed the tissues and furnish food-energy to improve their blood, aid nutrition and sharpen their appetites.

The highly concentrated medicinal food in Scott's Emulsion supplies the very elements children need to build up their strength. They relish Scott's—it is free from alcohol.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 15-24

Being Tried for Husband's Murder

Providence, R. I., Jan. 10.—Mrs. C. Franklin Mohr and three alleged negro accomplices were placed on trial in Superior court Tuesday on the charge of murdering Dr. C. Franklin Mohr as he rode with a young woman in his automobile, past a lonely spot near Nyatt, R. I., on the night of August 13, 1915. The Mohr family is wealthy and socially prominent in the summer colonies hereabout.

Dr. Mohr, of Providence, well-known in Newport and New York, was murdered about 9 o'clock. He was shot in the head and right shoulder and died at the Rhode Island hospital a few hours later.

With Dr. Mohr at the time of the murder was Miss Emily G. Burger, young and pretty, for several years his housekeeper. She also was shot in the head and right shoulder. She recovered. Dr. Mohr and Miss Burger were on their way to Dr. Mohr's Newport home. Their machine was operated by George W. Healis, a negro, who had been in the employ of the doctor a short time. Healis called for help and gave the police the first story of the crime.

During her ride to the hospital Miss Burger told all she could remember of the shooting. She said that soon after the car left Providence Healis complained that the motor was working badly. When the car reached the top of the hill, at the bottom of which the crime was committed, she thought Healis flashed the lights. He stopped the machine in a spot overhung by trees, according to Miss Burger, got out and lifted the hood. Then, she said, there was a crackling in the underbrush followed by flashes and revolver shots. The doctor stood up, half turned and fell across the back of the machine. She tried to get out of the car. There were more flashes and then she knew no more until just before she was lifted into the ambulance.

Healis denied flashing his lights. He said he stopped at the bottom of the incline to adjust his carburetor. He said he heard no noise prior to the revolver shots and did not see the person or persons who fired them. The negro chauffeur next morning at Providence, after many hours grilling, is said to have confessed to having knowledge of a plot to rob Dr. Mohr, who, he said, was known to be carrying considerable money.

Healis is said to have implicated another negro, Cecil Victor Brown, who had been discharged from Dr. Mohr's employ three weeks before. Healis said that he was not in the plot. All he was supposed to do, he is said to have said was to stop the car when Brown held it up between Nyatt and West Harrington. He, it is said, said Brown was to trail the Mohr auto on his motorcycle, which Mrs. Mohr is said to have purchased for Brown. Brown was arrested at the house of George Daley on Earle street. Brown denied that he knew anything about the crime and said he could prove an alibi. He said the reason for his discharge by Dr. Mohr was that he had held a two-minute conversation with Mrs. Mohr in the barn of the Newport estate. In Dr. Mohr's pockets after the murder, were found two blood-stained envelopes addressed to Brown and containing pleas for an immediate interview with him. They were written in a woman's hand and signed with a woman's name. These letters, it developed later, were intercepted at the Mohr home and given to Dr. Mohr. Brown denied ever having received notes from Mrs. Mohr through her son. After an all-night grilling Brown is said to have confessed that Mrs. Mohr offered them money if they would kill Dr. Mohr. He, the police say, admitted that he, Henry Spellman and George Healis planned the shooting. Spellman was arrested and later Mrs. Mohr was taken into custody. Brown is said to admitted firing the shots at Dr. Mohr, while Spellman told the authorities, they say, that he shot Miss Burger. After the shooting Spellman and Brown threw their revolvers in a small stream in the woods, jumped on the motorcycle and rode away, according to the police. Later the negroes denied making a confession to the police and still later are said to have refuted their denial. Mrs. Mohr was arrested at 6 a. m., Sept. 2. Three hours after she was arraigned in District court, charged with being an accessory before the fact in the assault on Miss Burger, with intent to kill. The three negroes were arraigned, on the same charge. Mrs. Mohr was held for the grand jury under \$10,000 bond. The negroes were held without bail. Sept. 29 Mrs. Mohr, Brown, Spellman and Healis were indicted.

Germans Photograph French Mothers and Babies for Identification.



This official German photograph shows one of the most pathetic effects of the war. So many French mothers and babies in the northern and eastern part of France held by the Germans have been separated that the army has undertaken to photograph every mother and baby within the German lines, so that if they are separated at any time the photograph will identify them.

Two indictments were found against each, Mrs. Mohr being charged with being an accessory before the fact in the murder and in the assault. The three negroes were charged with the crime in one indictment and with the assault in the second. The indictments were returned in Superior court. To each the defendants pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$15,000 for each defendant in the murder case and for \$5,000 for each in the case charging assault with intent to kill. Mrs. Mohr furnished security and was released.

Dr. Mohr had a large practice, both in Providence and in Newport, where he was well known by members of the New York summer colony. His annual income was estimated to be approximately \$50,000 and his estate is considered to be worth in the neighborhood of \$500,000. Dr. Mohr was married twice, being divorced from his first wife. By his first wife he had two children, Charles Manning Mohr and Mrs. Edward Marr, both of whom now live in Baltimore, Md. By his second wife, Dr. Mohr had two children, Charles Franklin Mohr, Jr., and Virginia Blair Mohr, both of whom live with Mrs. Mohr in Providence.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN FOR INDIGESTION OR SOUR, ACID STOMACH

In five minutes! No dyspepsia, heartburn or any stomach misery

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia, when the food you eat ferments into gases and stubborn lumps; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all stomach misery vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak, out-of-order stomachs that gives it its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home.—Advt.

Unbleached Muslin Spread.

Every woman likes to own a hand-made spread, but the majority of spreads call for such expensive materials that few women can afford to indulge in the luxury. However, here is a spread which is within almost every woman's reach. It can be duplicated for about \$5. The spread is made of unbleached muslin. All over its surface conventional scrolls are outlined by means of huge French knots. On the spread in question white knots are used, but there is no reason why one could not use colored cotton to carry out the color scheme employed in one's bedroom. The edge of the spread is finished with cotton fringe.

In place of a quilting party why not have a spread party? The work will then be quickly and pleasantly done.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

At the Opera House Tonight

Forbes-Robertson, noted English actor on his farewell tour, will be seen at the Brainerd opera house this evening, the curtain rising at 9 o'clock. So good has been the sale of seats locally that almost the whole main floor was sold out on the first day of the ticket sale.

"Although ugly, improper and objectionable plays may create a stir when first produced and by some even be praised," says Forbes-Robertson, "they cannot have a lasting life. Their success is sensational and accidental and in due course of time they will die out of notice and disappear. True lovers of the drama need feel no anxiety."

Forbes-Robertson's supporting company numbers thirty-five English players, all of whom played with him during his London and New York farewell season. Some of these people have been with Forbes-Robertson for several years.

Few people who see Forbes-Robertson on the stage realize that he will be 63 in January. It is 30 years since he made his first appearance in America. New York saw him first on Monday night, October 12, 1885, playing Orlando in the company which supported Mary Anderson in "As You Like It."

Miss Laura Cowie, Forbes-Robertson's leading woman, made her first appearance in America last fall in Chicago with Forbes-Robertson. She is only twenty-three years old and has been on the stage but five years. She is Scotch by birth, but her career has been made in London and the English provinces. Her success with Forbes-Robertson in this country will probably lead to her being starred in America next season by a prominent manager.

At the Best

"And the raven, never flitting, still is sitting, still is sitting. On the pallid bust of Pallas just above my chamber door; And his eyes have all the seeming of a demon's that is dreaming And the lamp-light o'er him streaming throws his shadow on the floor, And my soul from out that shadow that lies floating on the floor Shall be lifted nevermore!"—From "The Raven," by Edgar Allan Poe.

Henry B. Walthall the living image of America's greatest poet re-enacts the latter tragic life in the most intensely fascinating photoplay of the year. Warda Howard the great emotional actress appears with Mr. Walthall in the picture and by her unusual talent and beauty she has gained a name that will forever be foremost in the world of films.

Edgar Allan Poe in the early days of the last century wrote and in the end gave to the world a poem which since has won for him recognition as America's greatest poet. "The Raven" is the title of the poem and is typical of that famous poet, a melancholy weird collection of verses which truly indicates his moody and gloomy temperament. It is an epitome of Poe's life, a tragedy from beginning to end and reveals the undying affection which he had for his lost wife.

Today almost a century since Poe wrote his remarkable poem, Essanay has succeeded in accomplishing the difficult task of reincarnating Poe.

Essanay has found Poe's parallel and his double in looks as well as temperament in the person of its leading actor, Henry B. Walthall called "the Poe of the screen" and considered the living image of the great poet.

THE NORTHWEST WEEKLY

The Film of Events Featured by the Brainerd Daily Dispatch Covering Events in this Section

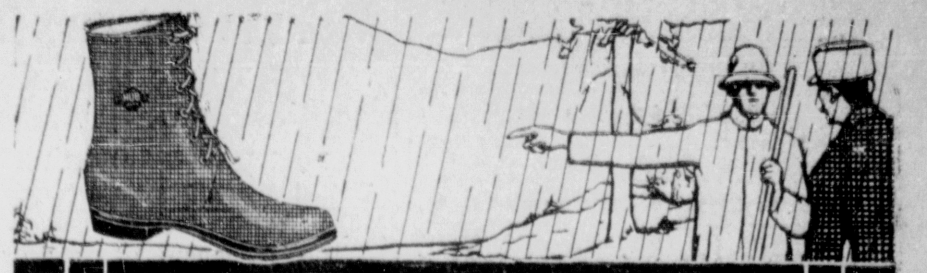
Intimate motion pictures of the late Governor Hammond of Minnesota showing him just as he appeared at public functions all over the Northwest, will be featured of the Brainerd Daily Dispatch Northwest Weekly which will be seen Thursday night at the Best theatre. There will be motion pictures also of the new Minnesota governor, Joseph A. A. Burnquist, taking the oath of office in the capitol. These are the most unusual historical motion pictures and the film will be preserved for future generations as an historical document. The pictures really show "history in the making" for they show the actual scene in the chambers of the Supreme Court when Supreme Justice Bunn administered the oath and swore in the new executive. The pictures of Governor Hammond include the last photograph that was made of him. It was taken when he and his staff left to attend the dedication of the new Armory at Northfield.

There is a portrait, also, of Thomas Shevlin, the millionaire lumberman and sportsman whose recent sudden death shocked the athletic world. Mr. Shevlin was famed for his prowess on the Yale football team and later as a volunteer coach at New Haven and the University of Minnesota.

Included in the program are scenic and panoramic views of St. Paul, showing a striking sunset on the Mississippi river. There are winter sport pictures including a most unusual motion picture of Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway system. Mr. Hill is shown in his winter carnival togs, showing kids how to use snow-shoes and skis. The prize-winning cars in the National Corn Show will interest farmers and grain men. How the great excavation is made for a sky-scraper, and how a new automobile fire engine was made from a horse-drawn vehicle is shown. Features are a picture of an Apache Indian chief celebrating the new year, ice-fishing, and a picture of the oldest house built in Minneapolis in the days when it was still called St. Anthony Falls.

Recommended for Croup

W. C. Allen, Boseley, Mo., says: "I have raised a family of four children and used Foley's Honey and Tar with all of them. I find it the best cough and croup medicine I ever used. I used it for eight or ten years and can recommend it for croup." Same satisfactory results for coughs and colds. H. P. Dunn.—Advt. mwf



HERE is a sturdy, comfortable, water-proof shoe. A favorite with miners.

Made on a special last so it can be worn like an ordinary shoe over the stocking.

Hub-Mark Rubber Footwear is made in a wide variety of kinds and styles to cover the stormy weather needs of men, women, boys and girls in town or country.

The Hub-Mark on a shoe means a whole lot to you.

The Hub-Mark is your value mark.



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The World's Standard Rubber Footwear

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A COAT FOR JANUARY.

Built on Good Lines and Slightly Dressier Than a Topcoat.



AGAIN NAVY BLUE.

Fashioned of navy broadcloth, fastened with novelty buttons, banded, cuffed and collared with Hudson seal and belted in a tier, this coat, so warmly lined with heavy taffeta, makes a serviceable winter garment for walking. The jaunty turban, so suitable for this kind of coat, has a background of osprey feathers.

Working Out a Garden's Salvation.

Looking backward, I note the transition from reading books about gardens to doing work in one of them and how it gradually came to pass that I read less and only of standard substantialities that might be termed principles. Because I found that I must work out my own garden salvation and work it out, if not with fear and trembling, certainly with a humble mind and a humble disposition.—From "My Growing Garden," by J. Horace McFarland.



For Chronic Constipation

Six glasses of water daily and

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Orderlies

The laxative tablet with the pleasant taste

10¢ 25¢ 50¢

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents. **JOHNSON'S PHARMACY** THE REXALL STORE

OLD-TIME COLD CURE—DRINK HOT TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking up a cold.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB RHEUMATISM FROM STIFF, ACHING JOINTS

Rub Soreness from joints and muscles with a small trial bottle of old St. Jacobs Oil

Stop "losing" Rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia. Limber up! Get a 25 cent bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.

Chiffon Powder Puff Bags. It is not a difficult feat to manufacture a wide mouthed bag from plink, blue or lavender chiffon gathered on to a round or oval embroidery ring. Hangers of satin ribbon to match the bag should be fastened across like the handle of a basket and tacked to the ring on either side with rosettes of the ribbon and small chiffon or satin roses. Within the bag put a dozen small puffs made of absorbent cotton, drawn in at one side like a made puff by a string of narrow ribbon. Hung in the guest room or on any dressing table these individual puffs will prove useful where there are visitors, and the puffs can be replaced as those used are thrown away.

A Kitchen Hint.

Keep a piece of pumice stone in the kitchen to clean the irons with. It will instantly remove those particles of starch that adhere to the iron and will also remove rust or dirt. A careful rubbing with pumice before you put the irons on to heat will prevent any possibility of dirty marks on the delicate linens and laces.

LADIES! DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

Look years younger! Use Grandmother's recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur and nobody will know.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and abundant. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is messy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get this famous old recipe which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair. A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two it becomes beautifully dark, glossy, and abundant.

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Bull Moose Just Outside the Fence

(By United Press)

Chicago, Jan. 12.—The Bull Moose stands just outside the fence of the G. O. P. pasture with the olive branches on his antlers. A little coaxing, said the Progressive party leaders, will bring him inside the pasture for a double harness race with the Republican elephant against the Democratic donkey. George Perkins said he hoped both parties might agree on somebody, "and it need not be Roosevelt, but I hope it will be him."

Low Temperature in North Dakota

(By United Press)

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 12.—The Devils Lake temperature is the coldest in this section. It is 33 degrees below here with a twenty-two mile wind. Traffic is unimpaired.

Taft will Not Be Appointed

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 12.—It is stated on the highest official authority that Mr. Taft will not be appointed to succeed the late Justice Lamar, deceased.

Watchful Waiting Policy Condemned

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 12.—Representative Dyer, of Missouri, introduced a resolution into the house regarding the massacre of fifteen Americans by Mexicans last night. He asked the president to advise congress if the watchful waiting policy should not be ended.

Stenographer Testifies in Murder Trial

(By United Press)

Providence, R. I., Jan. 12.—Emily Burger, Dr. Mohr's stenographer who was with him when he was killed, was called to the stand this morning, and immediately launched into the story of the shooting.

Huerta Will be Indicted

(By United Press)

San Antonio, Jan. 12.—General Huerta will probably be indicted tomorrow.

Pineapples.

The pineapple is a solidified blossom, say the horticultural experts, and it is pineapple blossom time from June to October in Hawaii, where 7,000 acres are given over to the cultivation of this fruit. Pineapples are planted in three ways—for shipment raw, for canning and for juice. If the planter wants large, perfect specimens of the fruit he sets about 5,000 plants to the acre. The uniform smaller disks that you find in the cans are the result of closer planting, while the planter who desires only juice sets his plants still closer.—Youth's Companion.

Past Help.

The man with the old clock under his arm laid it on the jeweler's showcase. "I wish you'd see what is the matter with this," he said.

The jeweler removed the dial, screwed his eyeglass into place and inspected the works of the ancient timepiece. "Nothing is the matter with it now. Its sufferings are over."

"Well, how much do I owe you?" asked the man.

"Nothing," answered the jeweler. "This isn't a professional treatment. This is a coroner's inquest."

chiefly distinguished itself as a nation of business men—the United States.—World's Work.

Human Mystery.

Almost every man believes in the mystery of woman. I do not. For men are also mysterious to women; women are quite as puzzled by our stupidity as by our subtlety. I do not believe that there is either a male or a female mystery; there is only the mystery of mankind.—W. L. George in Atlantic Monthly.

With the Germans in British War Camp

By WILBUR S. FORREST

United Press Staff Correspondent
Dorchester, Eng., Jan. 3. (By Mail).—"Prisoners of war or not, they're human." Such is the philosophy of Major W. C. Bulkley, D. S. O., British regular army, who commands England's largest war prison camp here at Dorchester.

More than 3,000 of the Teutons who fought for the Kaiser on the western front during the last fourteen months are reaping the benefit of British leniency in this model city, built exclusively for their use on the outskirts of this historic British town. No other press representative was along on this trip, today, and is the first time an outsider has been permitted to inspect every nook and corner of the camp and talk unreservedly to the prisoners.

Surrounded by a double fence of American barbed wire flanked by wire entanglements, hundreds of substantially built, one story houses, electric lighted, amply windowed and roofed, have been built to accommodate the prisoners. The houses are in rows, fronted by streets and cross streets which swarm with German-grey-green uniforms. The main gate opens into a large parade ground surrounded on three sides by barracks which were used in peace time by a regiment of British cavalry. In these barracks where Hanoverians captured in 1914 are living today, a regiment of Hanoverians fighting for England a hundred years ago, was quartered.

"I've got an uncle in San Francisco," said one of the prisoners when he learned that an American was within earshot.

"Where does he live in San Fran?" "He lives on Jackson street. I used to visit him often," answered the prisoner in perfect English. A well built youth whose counterpart is in every American city, was leaving the camp postoffice with a small decorated Christmas tree sent by his family in Germany. He had stood in line for 30 minutes until his name was called, and he had eagerly grabbed the tinselled evergreen as an officer, who first inspected it, handed it over. Stopping a minute to talk he rushed off to his hut where the same tree a few minutes later had the place of honor on a big table in the center of the room, with forty other prisoners admiringly looking on.

This prisoner used to be a sailor on a Seattle-Frisco steamer. When Germany declared war he hurried back to the Patherland.

An enormous kettle in one of the large camp cookhouses was presided over by a big fellow who used to be a chef in Germany. He was making tea for eight hundred men, but he stopped a minute to explain that he had relatives in Mississippi. Another prisoner nearby, was cutting quarters of beef into small cubic hunks for soup. A crate of cabbages and lentils was on hand to flavor the stew.

On the same street with this cookhouse was the school building, also the shower baths and gymnasium. In the school building, classes are heard by a young man who used to teach at Heidelberg. He's a teacher of the languages. The effect of rigid military discipline imposed by the German army was manifest in the way the shower baths, occupying two buildings, are always in use.

"Turn out!" ordered a British officer conducting the inspection. Forty German heels clicked, or would have clicked if shod, as twenty German youths in "altogether" stood rigidly at attention. The gymnasium encloses many apartments for physical culture and is well patronized.

Two large commissary stores provide the prisoners with food and supplies not included in the daily rations. German speaking British clerks are in charge. They sell everything from bananas and canned milk to clothespins at prevailing market prices. Prisoners who have established credit "until more money is sent from Germany," are able to "have it charged."

Certain brands of German wares, unobtainable elsewhere in England, are to be found in the camp stores. Freedom of action and speeches is allowed in the camp. Work is voluntary. Hundreds of prisoners, however, prefer to work and have found employment erecting additional huts. For this labor they are paid by the British government. A dozen German cobblers operate a shoe repairing shop. This repair work is free. The British government furnishes the leather and pays the cobblers. An eight chair barber shop shaving all comers for two cents per shave, or free if the unshaven is broke. The barbers are paid by the government.

A hospital fully staffed by the Royal Medical Corps is provided for the prisoners. About sixty of 1,000 prisoners brought to the camp in September after the battle of Loos were slightly wounded. Their wounds

Admission 5 &
15 Cents

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2 Show, 7:30 &
9:00 P. M.

Tonight Only "THE RAVEN" Tonight Only

Henry B. Walthall is here presented in one of the most pretentious and artistic photo dramas ever offered to the public. He is ably assisted by Warda Howard and the picture consists of 6 reels of wonderfully filmed photo play. Mr. Walthall so cleverly portrays the character of America's greatest poet that many an audience has been taken back a decade and for the time taken for the action of the play were positively living in the early part of the nineteenth century.

Tomorrow--"Marta of the Lowlands"

Featuring Bertha Kalich in a five act impersonation of her greatest stage success.

were dressed daily and all but one recovered. Several who were gassed are still confined.

"It was the English gas that got me," said a Prussian hospital patient. "If it had been German gas, I wouldn't be here. German gas kills the man who breathes it. English gas makes you sick for a long time but it doesn't kill you."

The patients story was partially corroborated by the physician in charge, who stated that some British soldiers have recovered from German gas but experience had proven that British gas is not so deadly.

Keeping clean is the only compulsory duty of the German prisoners. On entering the camp they are provided with fresh under clothing while their military garb is thoroughly disinfected. A tooth brush, hairbrush and comb and clean towels also are provided. The prisoners wash their own linen in the camp laundry. Every man takes a bath twice weekly. A complete outfit of clothing is provided free to every man in need. Every prisoner with whom I talked was satisfied with his food, clothing and treatment, in the main.

ACT QUICKLY

Delay Has Ben Dangerous in Brainerd

Do the right thing at the right time.

Act quickly in the time of danger.

In time of kidney trouble Doan's Kidney Pills are most effective.

Plenty of Brainerd evidence of their worth.

Mrs. Charles Erickson, 1103 E. Oak street, Brainerd, says: "I suffered from weak kidneys for two or three years. Dull pains through the small of my back kept me in poor health and I also had headaches and dizzy spells. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at H. P. Dunn's drug store, and they made me feel much better in every way." (Statement given Aug. 31st, 1908).

OVER FIVE YEARS LATER, Mrs. Erickson said, "I use Doan's Kidney Pills occasionally for attacks of backache and always find relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Erickson has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Ruling Passion.

Among the well known figures of the Paris salons mentioned in "An Eighteenth Century Marquis" was Bossut mathematician and abbe, who had translated Maria Agnes's work on the infinitesimal calculus. "When he was dining Maupertius was by his bedside. No one knew whether the agency was ended. 'Twelve times twelve' asked Maupertius in a distinct voice. 'One hundred and forty four' came the automatic answer as Bossut breathed his last."

Not Mercenary.

Mr. Gottrox—My daughters, young man, are both worth their weight in gold.

Suitor—The fact that I am asking you for the smaller one proves, at any rate, that I am not mercenary.—Chicago News.

He Knew.

"Aren't you going to listen to the vox populi, Senator Henderson?" "Vox populi, nothin'! What have those here secret orders ever done for me?"—Buffalo Express.

The Copts of Egypt.

The Copts in Egypt are the bookkeepers and scribes; they are also the jewelers and embroiderers. Their ancient tongue has fallen into disuse and is practically a dead language. They now use Arabic, like all the rest of the nation, but the speech survives in their church service, a part of which is still given in the old tongue, though it is said that even the priests themselves do not always understand what they are saying, having merely learned the sentences by heart, so that they can repeat them as a matter of form.

FOODS THE TURKS EAT.

Pilaff is the National Dish, and but Little Meat is Used.

Vegetables, fruits and grains are the staples of the Turkish kitchen. Breakfast on the Bosphorus consists of a small cup of Turkish coffee and a roll. At noon there is a bowl of sour milk (yagurt) and bread. Thick Turkish coffee is taken again in the afternoon to keep up appetites for the principal meal, which comes at night. This meal includes, probably, pilaff (meat and rice), several kinds of vegetables, pastry and thick coffee. The workman's meal is still more simple—a chunk of bread and an onion or a bunch of grapes.

There are, however, some dishes upon the Turkish bill of fare which the returned westerner never ceases to regret. Pilaff is one. It is a food as national with the Turk as the potato with the Irish, as the cabbage with the German. It takes a multitude of forms, but its basic quality, its quality of being pilaff, is derived from rice being cooked in such a way as to preserve each grain firm and distinct. The rice is unpolished and in cooking takes on a gelatinous coat. Sometimes it is boiled in mutton fat, a rich, smooth, inviting dish. Sometimes bits of roast mutton are mingled with it, when it becomes a meat pudding of delicious flavor. It is cooked with small currants and pine nuts, fragrant and spicy. It is stuffed with dates and flavored with orange peel; but, whatever its form, it is one of the treasured memories of a visit to the near east.

Exemplar is the foundation of another favored Turkish dish. It is stuffed with chopped onions and rice and cooked in oil. It is also stuffed with meat marrows and rice and steamed until it becomes a culinary inspiration. The westerner, furthermore, learns to enjoy many of the milk foods prepared by the Turks. Yagurt, cultured milk as thick as sour cream, prepared from the rich milk of the buffalo cow, is a satisfaction to the most pampered diner. Chicken breast milk, made from grated chicken breasts; jelly-like rice milk, starch pudding, eaten with sugar and rosewater, and yagurt, with chopped nutmeats, are other dishes.

The Turks are fond of sweets. They prepare a kind of bread which they soak in honey and eat with rich cream. They also prepare pastry in strings soaked in honey. Meats, with the exception of mutton, are poor in Turkey, but then the Turk is a good deal of a vegetarian.

The Turkish porter, or hamal, dines on a chunk of bread costing a cent, together with a melon or a bunch of grapes or an onion or a piece of cheese, to the cost of another cent, and considers his meal complete. Yet his daily toll consists in carrying packing cases, pianos and other knickknacks around on his back to the astonishment of every visitor acquainted only with the prowess of porters in the west. This rugged Turkish burden bearer eats a dinner at night which costs about 4 cents—a bowl of pilaff with bits of meat in it.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

Coals to Newcastle.

Mother was measuring a dose of tonics for her little son, who looked up and said:

"What am I taking this for?" "An appetite," she replied. "An appetite," he scornfully repeated. "I can't begin to hold now one-half I want to eat."—New York Post.

Some Do Very Well.

"That girl has to wear her sister's old clothes."

"That's a shame. A girl can't make anything pretty out of leftover stuff." "All depends. Look how beautifully autumn dresses on summer's hand-me-downs."—Chicago News.

A Message to His Love.

First Barker—That was a bad cut you gave that old man while shaving him. Second Barker—Oh, there's a reason for that. I'm courting his maid, and the cut will let her know that I'll meet her this evening.—Boston Transcript.

One Way.

"What is the best way to preserve peaches?" inquired Mrs. Wombat. "Keep 'em on a high shelf," advised Mrs. Flubdub, who has enterprising kids.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The path of duty is the way of safety and the road to honor.—Old Saying.

DOMESTIC BLISS.

Shown in the Confessions of a Happily Married Man.

It takes my wife a long time to read anything. I skim whole pages instantly. She hates to be read aloud to. I love it.

When we travel I always suggest to her in advance the car we shall take. She agrees, but will suddenly change her mind and insist upon taking another one. I grumble to myself and obey. She likes the top of the auto up. I loathe it up. It remains up.

I always praise her golf, no matter how badly she plays. She always depreciates mine, no matter how well I play. When I criticize anything she does I don't say it; I think it. That sometimes makes trouble enough.

I compliment her occasionally before others. She pretends that she doesn't understand why I do it.

When I buy a new suit she will never admit that she admires it until it is worn out. Then she says the next one isn't half so becoming as the last. When she gets a new gown I admire it intensely until it is about time to replace it with another. She never liked any hat that I have ever bought. I like every one of hers—on principle.

I laugh at her when she gets too serious. When I get too serious she scolds me.

I keep her informed about my business only when she asks me. She never asks me, so you know the result.

I tell her a funny story every day. If I have two I keep one for the next day. Sometimes she laughs at them.

She asks me occasionally if I think her hair is as long as it was. I always tell her it is longer.

I hate bridge, dinner parties, dancing and the opera. She respects my opinion and makes me do them all.

She makes out checks and forgets to enter them on the stubs. Every time I catch her in this omission she reminds me of the celebrated occasion when I left the tickets to a large theater party in my other suit.

She always keeps her temper when I lose mine. I keep mine when she loses hers.

I once told her she was thoroughly spoiled. She kissed me and said she knew it.—Life.

LUNGS OF A BATTLESHIP.

Ventilation is a Serious Problem in Building War Vessels.

One of the most difficult problems in building a battleship is to secure satisfactory ventilation. She is a very complicated creature, made up of so many steel boxes, large and small, for the accommodation of officers, men, coal, ammunition and stores, dotted here and there with so many steel ladders, automatic lifts, steel bulkheads and water tight doors, varied here and there by miles of electric wires belonging to lights, telephones, bells and motors, to say nothing of the endless mileage of pipes for flooding, draining, pumping, fresh water, fresh air or compressed air and speaking tubes.

First in importance comes the ventilating of the boiler and engine rooms. When you begin to think of gangs of coal black demons working away in the bowels of the ship at a temperature of 120 degrees; when, too, you commence to realize that unless the furnaces receive their required draft the speed of the battleship drops to below that of her sisters in the squadron, you appreciate the importance of the steam driven fans to the furnaces and boiler rooms. The supply of air comes down through large water tight trunks, which are continued right up to the weather deck, armored gratings being provided at the protective deck.

For ventilating engine rooms large electric fans are employed. So, too, the coal bunkers have to be ventilated, owing to the gas which the coal gives off. This gas when mixed with air forms an explosive, so in order to prevent the possibility of injury to men or ship supply and exhaust pipes are fitted in such a manner as to cause a current of air.—Pearson's Weekly.

Only Nation Without Budget.

We are the only civilized nation that hasn't a budget system. France, Germany, Russia, Japan, England, Italy, Spain, Rumania, Servia, Portugal, Bulgaria and Venezuela—all these countries and many more have budgets. In each country, that is, certain responsible officers prepare a definite plan for doing things, estimate the cost of executing it and suggest means for raising the money. There is only one important nation that has no budget plan, and that is the one that has

Brainerd Electric Co.

GEO. JOHNSON, Prop.

Wish to announce that The Willard Storage Battery Co., having established a Service Station with the Brainerd Electric Company, 710 Laurel Street.

Will carry a complete stock of Batteries and repairs. Batteries may be had while making repairs or charging.

Have installed first class machinery for charging and repairing.

An invitation is extended to all that wish any information in regard to the Storage Battery.

Great care should be taken of your Battery during this cold weather. Will store your Battery and keep it fully charged at a very small cost.

Free inspection of any battery at any time

Willard Storage Battery
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ONE POET OUT OF PLACE.

When Wordsworth, in Borrowed Finery, Attended a Royal Function.

It is not easy to imagine Wordsworth, the gentle poet, in the midst of the glittering artificialities of court life. Yet he once actually presented that picture. How slender was the tie that bound Wordsworth to the court during his seven years' tenure of the laureateship may be judged, says W. Forbes Gray in "The Poets Laureate," by the fact that he wrote no official poems and that on only one occasion did he leave his retreat in the heart of his beloved lake land to attend a court function. In May, 1845, he obeyed an imperative summons of the lord chamberlain to attend a state ball at Buckingham palace.

There must have been, as Professor Knight remarks, "something not a little incongruous in the severely simple, almost austere, poet of seventy-five years attending a ceremonial of this kind." Wordsworth went not only to the ball, but to the queen's levee, in a court dress belonging to Samuel Rogers and wearing a sword once owned by Sir Humphry Davy.

"What," exclaims Haydon, "would Hazlitt say now? The poet of the lakes in bagwig, sword and ruffles!" Haydon also remarks that the fitting of the court dress was no easy matter. "It was a squeeze, but by pulling and hauling they got him in. Fancy the high priest of mountain and of flood on his knees in a court, the quiz of the courtiers, in a dress that did not belong to him, with a sword that was not his own and a coat that he had borrowed." Haydon could not bear to "associate a bagwig and sword, ruffles and buckles with Helvellyn and the mountain solitudes."

On returning home the laureate wrote an interesting account of his novel experience to his American friend, Professor Reed. "The reception given me by the queen, at her ball, was most gracious. Mrs. Everett, the wife of your minister, among many others, was a witness to it, without knowing who I was. It moved her to the shedding of tears. This effect was in part produced, I suppose, by American habits of feeling, as pertaining to a republican government. To see a gray haired man of seventy-five years, kneeling down, in a large assembly, to kiss the hand of a young woman, is a sight for which institutions essentially democratic do not prepare a spectator of either sex and must naturally place the opinions upon which a republic is founded and the sentiments which support it in strong contrast with a government based and upheld as ours is."

MUST SERVE PRISON TERM

Mill City Physician's Sentence Approved by Supreme Court.

St. Paul, Dec. 4.—Dr. Charles H. Hunter of Minneapolis must serve a sentence at Stillwater for manslaughter in connection with the death of an infant at Minneapolis in November, 1914. The state supreme court has denied his appeal for a new trial. Dr. Hunter was convicted in the Hennepin county courts in March of killing the infant child of Lena Sumner.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-checked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

The Largest Domes.

Some of the largest domes in the world are: The Pantheon at Rome, 142 feet diameter, 143 feet high; baths of Caracalla, Rome, 112 feet diameter, 116 feet high; St. Sophia, Constantinople, 115 feet diameter, 201 feet high; St. Maria delle Fure, Florence, 133 diameter, 130 feet high; St. Peter's, Rome, 139 feet diameter, 139 high; St. Paul's, London, 112 feet diameter, 215 feet high.

LEGLESS. HE SAVES CHILD.

In Train Wreck Draws Girl From River by Means of Clothing.

Among the stories of heroism that marked the wreck of a Union Pacific motorcar in Kansas the act of an unidentified legless man stands out as one of the most remarkable rescues on record.

The legless man was buried from the wrecked car into the river where Mabel Deunlinger, aged five, of Frankfort, Kan., was foundering about in the water. The man tore strips from his clothing, tied the child to himself, and swam to the shore.

FIERCE WIND AND SNOW STORM

Rages in Brainerd Territory and to the West—Trains Delayed by Snow and Wind

57 BELOW AT MANDAN TODAY

Switch Engines Laboring in the Yards to Move Trains, Trainmen Facing Blizzard

Commencing in the early hours of the night and gathering in volume, Brainerd and region about it was treated to a good, old-fashioned winter storm which caused the trainmen considerable trouble. It snowed part of the time and it drifted the balance, filling up tracks and cuts and undoing all the fine snow shoveling carried on in Brainerd.

Out at Mandan on the Northern Pacific the thermometer hopped down to 57 below. At the Gull lake dam this morning it registered 15 below at 8 o'clock and was growing colder.

In the yards little No. 329 is puffing manfully and moving cars. The four o'clock morning passenger came in at 8:30 o'clock. The shops are busy with repairs and snowplows.

IS OPTIMISTIC

Richard Bergum, of Manganese, Says Business Will Hum Everywhere in the Spring

In a letter to the Dispatch, Richard Bergum, townsite agent of Manganese, says:

"Happy New Year and scores of them. Have been away for a short time, and notice that no news from our town has appeared in the Dispatch. Send you herewith a few notations and beg you to make use of them.

"Things look very good for our section, and I think business will hum everywhere in the early spring. The business houses in Duluth and Superior reported the biggest fall business for many years, are now getting ready for the spring business. Everybody was feeling optimistic and cheerful. This weather is very favorable for the lumbering men, and there are very few idle men to be found. It will be a prosperous 1916."

ANY LADY OR GENTLEMAN

In the City Calling on

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For the Balance of the Week will receive a skirt or coat hanger

FREE OF CHARGE

PLAN CREAMERY FOR DEERWOOD

Farmers Co-operative Creamery Co. Held Meeting in Coffins Hall. Addressed by John Cort

THE HALLS ATTEND COLLEGE

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hall to Take Short Course at Agricultural College—Other Deerwood News

Deerwood, Minn., Jan. 12—Donald Quinlivan is in Minneapolis on business.

A business meeting of the Methodist church Ladies Aid society was held Wednesday evening.

Julius O. Hage attended the Elks meeting in Brainerd on Thursday evening.

Lars Howe, a pioneer of Deerwood, is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. C. M. Peterson entertained a party of friends at her home at Hamlet Lake on Monday evening, the guests of honor being her two nephews, John and Oscar Munson of Strassberg, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hall of Bay Lake have gone to Minneapolis to attend the short course at the Agricultural college. They will also visit friends in Michigan before returning to Sunnyside Farm.

Mrs. Robert Archibald was pleasantly surprised on the occasion of her birthday. She was presented with many pleasant reminders of the day.

The Norwegian Ladies Aid society will meet Friday with Mrs. Christ Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill are enjoying their annual vacation trip and will visit relatives in Anoka, Chico Springs, Montana and Devils Lake, N. D. They expect to be gone a month.

The Farmers' Co-operative Creamery Co. held a meeting in Coffins hall and were addressed by John Cort, a dairy expert.

Wilson Bradley has returned from Duluth and St. Paul where he spent the holidays.

The village council met in regular session on Tuesday evening.

Contractors are making rapid progress in the work of constructing the new depot.

Attorney H. E. Peterson was in Brainerd on legal matters Tuesday afternoon.

J. H. Meyers has been in Minneapolis.

Miss Amanda Hoglund, of St. Paul, is visiting her parents.

Miss Rachel Tenneson visited in Brainerd.

Sickness caused a postponement of the Choral club rehearsal.

R. C. McMonigal, formerly with the Bay Lake Fruit Growers Association, has secured a position in Minneapolis.

CROSBY FIRE CHIEF ELECTED

W. A. Guith Given the Post, E. G. Ingalls Assistant, James Maguire Secretary

CROSBY MOOSE BIG MEETING

County Board Vacates Taxes on Crosby Village Jail and Fire Hall

Crosby, Minn., Jan. 12—The funeral of little Leona Brunelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen L. Brunelle, was held Sunday.

A. T. Fisher, auditor of the Mahlum Lumber Co., of Brainerd, assisted in taking an inventory of the Crosby yards.

Miss Ruth Vogan has returned to Duluth to continue her studies at the normal school.

The Crosby fire department elected W. A. Guith chief, E. G. Ingalls assistant, James Maguire secretary and T. H. Lake treasurer.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gaylord are her mother, Mrs. P. B. Gaylord and sister, Miss Alice Gaylord of Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Olsson and daughter Margaret visited relatives in Brainerd.

The Crosby Moose are urged to attend the next meeting at which some special business will be brought up.

Miss Lella Pitt, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Pitt, has returned to Waverly, Iowa, to resume teaching school.

Miss Sadie Bergeron of Duluth was a guest of Miss Elizabeth Briggs.

C. H. Peterson and son, W. H. Bateman and J. R. Bateman, Duluth brick layers, are working on the new high school.

William C. Deering has returned from Minneapolis where he was called by the serious illness of his mother, J. T. Harp, principal of the high school, enjoyed a vacation in Vinton, Iowa.

A. E. Lovdahl has returned from a trip to Wadena.

Mrs. R. J. Sewall is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester D. Tripp of Chicago.

Miss Mabel Toilefson of Brainerd is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. F. William Butt.

Miss Ida Garhart, of Minneapolis, the trained nurse recently engaged by the board of education of the district, will soon take up her duties.

The county board has vacated taxes imposed on the village jail and fire hall.

CUYUNA NEWS

Miss E. Horgan, Visiting Nurse, Visits Cuyuna—Grip Cases Reported in Cuyuna

Cuyuna, Minn., Jan. 12—Miss E. Horgan, visiting nurse for the Cuyuna range, was in Cuyuna.

Mrs. H. B. Blackwood is ill at her home.

Attending to business matters in Duluth were J. J. Petraborg and Charles Peterson.

Miss Mac Buchanan has been spending two weeks visiting friends in Virginia. She is teaching school at Wolford.

LeRoy Farrar has been sick at his home.

E. E. Webb is recovering from the grip.

ANNUAL MEETING

Ex-Mayor Kane of International Falls and Chas. A. Barrett of Brainerd Elected on Board

The annual meeting of the Security National Loan company was held at the local office yesterday afternoon. Ex-mayor W. V. Kane, International Falls and Chas. A. Barrett of this city are newly elected members to the board of directors.

An increase of the capital stock to \$500,000 was authorized and a dividend of 2% which is in addition to the 7% guaranteed by the company was declared. The company has had a substantial growth as shown by the report made on Dec. 9th at the instance of the bank examiner and arrangements with eastern financial houses for a fully paid in capital are being perfected.

LEAVES FOR NEW YORK

J. O. Marcetich, Austrian Interpreter and Administrator of Ironton. Goes on Trip

J. O. Marcetich, of Ironton, left for New York January 5 and will stop at different cities. He will be back in 10 days of two weeks.—Adv.

Where It Went.

"There's lots of money in stocks." "Quite right. That's where money went."—San Francisco Chronicle.

WOMEN'S WINTER COATS

A rack of them

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In Basement

ALL \$1.00 CORSETS

79c

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79c

10-4 BLEACHED SHEETING

32c quality

25c

In Basement

CHILD'S WOOL UNDERWEAR

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EAGLES INSTALL

Col. A. J. Halsted, Past Worthy President was Installing Officer at the Ceremonies

Past Worthy President Col. A. J. Halsted was the installing officer at the installation of officers of the Eagles lodge Tuesday evening and the hall was well filled with members to

BEAUTIFY THE CITY

By Planting Gardens on the Vacant Lots Instead of Making Them Receptacles of Rubbish

The success that the Chamber of Commerce last year had with its exhibit of vegetables raised by school children, would seem to justify some definite action on the part of the



A. J. HALSTED
Installing Officer of the Eagles

see the ceremonies. These are the officers inducted into office:

Junior Past President—B. T. Dunn
Worthy President—W. J. Lyons
Worthy Vice President—F. E. Russell

Worthy Chaplain—Ed Luck

Worthy Secretary—Henry J. Krause

Worthy Treasurer—S. R. Adair

Worthy Conductor—Charles O. Sundberg

Worthy Inside Guard—J. H. Muller

Worth Outside Guard—Peter Remmels

Worthy Trustees—G. P. O'Brien, F. E. Little and A. P. Drosseth

Aerie Physicians—Dr. R. A. Beise, and C. D. McKay. The remains are

son.

The members enjoyed a nice lunch and smoker. It was decided that a large class is to be initiated on the March 28th meeting. Many members from out of town were present.

IRONTON NEWS

Indian Agents Search Ironton for Liquor—Marshal Frazer Visits in Brainerd

Ironton, Minn., Jan. 12—Indian Agent Carson was at Ironton and made a vigorous search for liquor, and found four gallons in a bakery.

Marshal Isaac Frazer was at Brainerd on business Tuesday.

Peter Spina, proprietor of the Spina hotel, has returned from a business trip to Chisholm and Hibbing.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Marks are the parents of a baby daughter.

Capt. Wm. Pascoe was attending to business matters in Duluth and Neenah, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns and little son have returned from a visit in Duluth.

Miss Ethel Hoagland has gone to St. Paul where she expects to attend business school.

Miss Evelyn Syverson was the guest of Miss Ethel Quinn of Brainerd.

Clarence Swenson, of Ulen, was a guest of Representative and Mrs. Edward R. Syverson.

Chamber along the lines as conducted at Duluth. Quoting from the Duluth Herald:

The homecroft committee of the Duluth Commercial club at a meeting yesterday afternoon determined to try to get every owner of a vacant lot in the city to help beautify the city next summer by putting the lot to use in the way of gardening rather than permitting it to be the receptacle and lodging place of old cans and rubbish. A canvass of these owners will be conducted, and at least an attempt will be made to get their pledges in this regard.

It is hoped by the members of the committee, that even if the owners themselves will not utilize these waste spaces for gardens they will permit others who are so inclined to do so. In this way, it is pointed out, not only will the lots be put to use and the rubbish objections be eliminated, but people living close to the lots who have no garden space of their own or who wish to increase what they have, may be permitted to use the vacant lots for that purpose where owners do not wish to work the lots themselves.

A general campaign will be conducted in the spring by the members of the committee among owners of gardens, to promote home gardening during the coming summer, and copies of the booklet, "Duluth Garden Primer," by A. H. Craswell, will be distributed liberally. School pupils will be asked to take them home and use their contents as pointers in gardening. Mr. Craswell has included in his booklet the fundamental information in the raising of common garden vegetables, flowers and shrubs and deals with the soil and temperatures effective in Duluth.

Napoleon's Destructiveness.

Napoleon was destructive by character and custom. He stuck his paper knife into the costly chairs that were provided for him everywhere. He wasted huge quantities of paper. Whenever he took up anything that was frail or finely worked he was quite certain to demolish it or damage it before he put it down. He pulled up the choicest plants in the hothouses, and when he could do it without being seen he used to shoot Josephine's rare birds.

One day the emperor shot out one of the eyes of Massena, the duke of Rivoli, but nothing was said of it. Berthier took the blame for it, probably because he was master of the hunt.—"Napoleon's Men and Methods."

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WILL GATHER IN CHICAGO JUNE 7

Progressives Set Date for National Convention.

SAME TIME AS REPUBLICANS

Bull Moose Party Leaders Hope to Reach an Understanding Whereby Both Political Organizations Can Agree Upon the Same Presidential Candidate.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—The Progressive party will hold its national convention June 7 in Chicago, concurrently with the national convention of the Republican party, in the hope that both may agree on the same candidate for president.

This action was decided upon by the national committee of the Progressive party. Forty-seven of the forty-eight states were represented at the meeting.

Before adjourning the committee adopted a declaration of principles in which the administration of President Wilson was criticised for its alleged failure to deal adequately with national honor and industrial welfare and the Progressive party went on record as favoring a complete preparedness consisting of military armament, as well as a mobilization of all the country's resources with a view of the unification of American citizenship.

A message was read from Colonel Theodore Roosevelt urging the necessity for adequate preparedness, which was enthusiastically applauded.

Progressive leaders declared that there would be no amalgamation with the Republican party even in the event of both parties choosing the same presidential candidate.

The Progressive party plans to nominate a national ticket at its convention in June.

Many of the party leaders declared that if the Republicans will nominate Roosevelt or any other man who is regarded as unobjectionable and will incorporate in its platform the salient features of the Progressive principles both parties will unite on the same candidates in Chicago next June.

In discussing the declaration of principles issued by the committee Chairman George W. Perkins of New York said:

"The declaration issued by the national committee means just what it says. It was prepared with great care. It is an honest and fair statement of the situation."

ETCHISON STICKS TO STORY

Grilling Cross Examination Fails to Confuse Murder Witness.

Minneapolis, Jan. 12.—For two hours and a half Charles D. Etchison, star witness for the state in the prosecution of Frederick T. Price, alleged wife murderer, withstood a severe cross-examination at the hands of M. C. Brady, chief counsel for the defense.

When recess arrived Etchison was exhausted, but the defense had failed to shake the sensational story of the plot and the plan alleged to have been made by Price and carried into effect Nov. 28, 1914, when Mary Fridley Price met her death at the foot of a precipice on the River drive.

WILSONS DINE THE CABINET

Several High Officials of Army and Navy Also Guests.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The annual cabinet dinner was given in the state dining room of the White House by President and Mrs. Wilson. It was the first of a series of formal dinners that will mark the social season at the capital.

The guests included, besides all the members of the cabinet and their wives, several high officials of the army and navy and government of officials.

3,000,000 ACRES ARE OPENED

Secretary Lane Makes Available Land in Western States.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Lane has designated 3,000,000 acres of land as nonirrigable, opening to settlement vast areas in several Western states. Some of the land has been filed on already, however, and some homesteads have been patented.

The land includes 2,000,000 acres in South Dakota, 500,000 acres in California, and 250,000 acres in Montana.

Hughes Is Whitman's Choice.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Justice Charles E. Hughes is the choice of Governor Whitman for the Republican nomination for president. He believes the choice would be an exceptionally strong one and if Justice Hughes can be induced to take the nomination he will find the governor working for him.

Two Dead in Rooming House.

St. Paul, Jan. 12.—Horace Tyler, aged forty-eight, and an unidentified man were found dead in a gas filled room in the rooming house of Mrs. J. C. Munderwiler. The unidentified man is about thirty-five years old.

COUNT APPONYI.

May Be Named Austrian Ambassador to United States.



Photo by American Press Association.

Advices received here from Vienna say that Count Albert Apponyi, the veteran Hungarian political leader, may be chosen to fill the vacant post of Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States.

DEMOCRATS PLAN BANQUET

North Dakota Party Men Will Meet Feb. 22 at Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 12.—John Brueger of Williston, Democratic national committeeman, announced that Democrats of the state will meet at a banquet in Fargo Feb. 22. It is planned to obtain a national Democratic figure as speaker. It will be the largest political meeting of the year in Fargo.

Must Obey Rate Order.

St. Paul, Jan. 12.—Judge J. C. Michael has denied a motion of railroads entering St. Paul and Minneapolis for a temporary injunction to restrain the state railroad and warehouse commission from making effective its order to have the two cities, the Minnesota Transfer, Hopkins and St. Louis Park a common rate point.

FOUR MINERS PERISH IN SNOWSLIDE

Telluride, Colo., Jan. 12.—Four Austrian miners were killed in a snowslide in Caribena gulch, near the Ophir mine, according to word received here.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 11.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.25; No. 1 Northern, \$1.24; No. 2 Northern, \$1.20@1.21. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.31.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Jan. 11.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.24@1.27; No. 2 Northern, \$1.20@1.22; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.22@1.23; corn, 74@75; oats, 43@44; barley, 65@70; rye, 83@94; flax, \$2.30 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.40@6.55; cows and heifers, \$3.20@8.40; calves, \$7.00@10.50. Hogs—Light, \$6.40@6.80; mixed, \$6.55@7.00; heavy, \$6.60@7.00; rough, \$6.60@6.75; pigs, \$5.25@6.30. Sheep—Native, \$6.90@7.50; lambs, \$8.00@10.65.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Wheat—May, \$1.26 1/2; July, \$1.19. Corn—May, 79 1/2; July, 79c. Oats—May, 49 1/2; July, 47 1/2. Pork—Jan., \$18.90; May, \$19.45. Butter—Creameries, 28@30 1/2. Eggs—28 1/2@29 1/2. Poultry—Springs, 15 1/2; fowls, 15 1/2; turkeys, 18c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 11.—Wheat—May, \$1.24 1/2; July, \$1.28 1/2. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.27 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.24 1/2@1.26 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.20 1/2@1.22 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.14 1/2@1.18 1/2; No. 3 yellow corn, 74@75c; No. 3 white oats, 43 1/2@44c; flax, \$2.30 1/2.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; steers, \$3.75@8.75; cows and heifers, \$4.25@6.75; calves, \$4.50@8.25; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.00. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; range, \$6.35@6.55. Sheep—Receipts, 200; lambs, \$5.00@9.25; wethers, \$5.00@6.50; ewes, \$2.50@6.25.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Jan. 11.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$14.50; No. 1 timothy, \$13.00@13.75; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$12.00@12.75; choice upland, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 upland, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 midland, \$9.00@9.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$17.00@17.75.

GREED OBJECT OF SOUTH AMERICA

Wants Protection of United States, but Offers No Return.

POLITICS IN CONFERENCES.

Pan-American Alliance May Be Realized, but It Will Never Amount to Anything, For After the War All Nations Are Going to Try to Get All the Money in the World.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Politics was played to the limit in the Pan-American scientific conference held in Washington. A movement was started to unite both Americas in a common cause to resist the balance of the world, supposing the world wanted to attack America.

That would be a nice thing for the southern republics; they would be assured of the protection of the United States, but what would they contribute in return? And how long would they stand against the money machinations of any country that wanted to use money against us?

The United States has been frequently called upon to quell disturbances, to enforce peace at the mouth of a machine gun and to perform other police services in these countries. They are not the kind of countries for allies. They would throw us over at the first opportunity.

Germ of the Idea.

Reading the various arguments urging such an alliance my eye happened to catch the germ of the idea. One of the advocates, telling what a good thing it would be to have one grand family of American republics solidly united and standing firmly together, said that as a first move the United States should adopt the Colombian treaty providing for the payment of \$25,000,000 to that country because our country wanted to benefit Colombia by building a canal through what was once her territory.

From many outcroppings it appears that large portions of that \$25,000,000 have been promised to promoters of the treaty.

San Francisco "Inspected."

If the real economists in congress should tabulate the expense accounts of the various government travelers during the year 1915 they would find that all the big fellows who were sent out had to go by way of San Francisco, particularly during the period the exposition was open. Reports of traveling expenses have been sent to congress by various departments, but it is doubtful whether they will receive much attention. At all events, congress has never tried to stop the great outlay in this form of expense.

A Real Progressive Move.

Congressman Emerson of Cleveland, O., a new man in congress, has proposed a real Progressive proposition by introducing a resolution to amend the constitution by having the president elected by direct vote of the people. And why not? If it is a good thing to have primaries of all kinds and the election of senators by direct vote, why not have the president elected by direct vote?

If this should be done interest would not center so much upon the pivotal states. There would be efforts to get votes everywhere, and every vote would count in a close election.

But Will Never Be Done.

But we will never see the president elected by a direct vote. If anything like that should be done it would require a close federal scrutiny of all elections. As, for instance, the first bulletin on the night of election is one from Mississippi saying the state has gone 50,000 for the Democratic candidate. Instead of that perfunctory announcement federal authorities would scrutinize all the returns. Lump majorities, such as are generally turned in from southern states, would not be allowed without investigation.

The selection of electors who vote for president and vice president is one remaining right of the states which they will not surrender.

"Trained Diplomats."

Again the cry has gone forth for "trained diplomats," meaning men who have had long experience in diplomacy. Of course that is impossible under our form of government. Diplomacy is a secondary consideration with us. The average diplomat is simply a medium of communication between the foreign offices and our state department. In these days of cables no diplomat is allowed to take matters into his own hands; hence it makes little difference whether he is trained.

"They Believe It."

"Do you know, they really believe it, some of them?"

The remark was made by Congressman Mondell of Wyoming, who is opposing preparedness, and he was speaking of the advocates of large expenditures to prevent the danger of invasion of the United States, and he added:

"Sometimes when I am talking with those fellows who see hordes of foreigners overrunning our country I look anxiously for the dropping of an eyelid or a curl in the corner of the mouth, which will give a hint that they know it is all bunk, but even Gussie Gardner will not give that sign."



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THE CHINESE WAY

Taking a Street Car Ride in the City of Shanghai.

A PUZZLE FOR A WHITE MAN.

Experience of an American Tourist Who Made a Bluff at Appearing to Know All the Ropes—A Patient Conductor and an Interested Cargo.

Writing of his adventures in the Chinese city of Shanghai, Homer Croy, in Leslie's Weekly, tells of the experience he had there in taking a ride on a street car.

The car was full of Chinamen, with not another white soul aboard, all sitting there in their skirts, their faces as expressionless as the heads of drums, but as soon as I came in their faces began to fill with interest, one nudging another until the whole car was looking at me.

I felt that something was wrong, but I could not figure out just what. I knew that it shouldn't create that much of a sensation for a white person to get on a car in Shanghai, but still they were looking at me as if I could be signed by a circus. I struggled to look unconcerned, but I knew that my cheeks were backfiring.

The conductor, in his suit of blue jeans, with a satchel over his shoulder, came up and said something to me, while I nodded with earnest carelessness and handed him a twenty-cent piece, knowing that he could get enough out of it to satisfy his wants.

"Mun stau chong du?" he asked. I nodded again and held out my hand for the change, plainly showing that I made the trip on the line twice a day.

"Mun stau chong du t'ing k'ing shon da?" he asked with more feeling, pointing down the street with one hand.

"I didn't catch the drift of his remarks, but I wasn't going to show him that I wasn't an old citizen and taxpayer, so I shook my head this time and nestled back in the seat as if it were all settled. But the conductor became more excited than ever, drafted the other hand and gurgled:

"Mun stau chong du t'ing k'ing shon da feah da tsu sz whoo pei quong?"

So I waved in the other direction and tried to nestle again, but the conductor came back with another round of monosyllabic re-enforcements. With that his fellow men in the car came to his help with an artesian of words, each one thinking that he could make it plain by raising his voice just a bit higher than any one else.

Reaching in his satchel, the conductor offered me a slip of paper spiced with Chinese writing. I took it and started to stuff it nonchalantly into my pocket, but he became more excited than ever and came back with another string of empties, while I put the slip back into his hand as if it made not the slightest bit of difference in the world to me whether I kept it or whether he had it—I would leave the details of the trip to him.

The conductor used his hands some more and then turned and signaled for somebody from the car ahead. Another man in blue jeans with a satchel over his shoulder came and listened for a few blocks while my conductor explained. A Chinaman can never ex-

plain anything in a sentence or two; he has to go into details and go through his whole selling talk before he feels that the other has grasped the general drift of thought.

The other man bent over. He was evidently a master of English. "How muchee far you goee, mister? You payee how far you lidee?"

Then I understood. When you get on you have to tell the conductor how far you are going, and he charges you for just that distance. But even after my fare was settled the natives on the car kept looking at me and pointing with their chins, as if their custom.

When I went to get off I saw several other white people piling off, but they were all from the front end of the first car. Then I looked at the markings on the car and saw what was the matter—I had been riding in the third class section with the coolies!

All the Shanghai street cars are divided up into classes—first, second and third. The white people all ride first class, the better to do Chinese second, while no one ever ventures third except the coolies.

Nature and Poetry.

Environment aids poetry, but does not create it. Nature is the grand agent in making poetry, and poetry is present wherever nature is. It sparkles on the sea, glows in the rainbow, flashes from the lightning and the star, peals in thunder, roars in the cataract and sings in the winds. Poetry is God's image reflected in nature, as in a mirror, and nature is present wherever man is.—Selected.

His Weak Point.

A man who takes a business view of things when recently asked his opinion of a person of quite a poetic temperament replied:

"Oh, he's one of those men who have soarings after the infinite and divings after the unfathomable, but who never pay cash!"

Something Else.

"Is loving a verb?"
"No; it's just plain nonsense."
Having made this reply to his daughter's question, Mr. Grouch looked a few daggers.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Spain Lowers Tariff Rates.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Wheat and many other commodities, mostly grains, foodstuffs and metals, will be admitted to Spain hereafter duty free, but will be subject to an embargo tax if exported.

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